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Applicants: Jerome BERGER

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For: PSEUDO-THERMOSETTING NEUTRALIZED CHITOSAN  
COMPOSITION FORMING A HYDROGEL AND A PROCESS FOR  
PRODUCING THE SAME

Docket No.: 15430-000006/US/NP

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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**Mail Stop Amendment**

October 21, 2009

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 11, 2009, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-referenced application.

**Listing of the Claims** begins on page 2 of this response.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this response.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
<b>Total</b>	10	-	20	=	0
<b>Independent</b>	3	-	3	=	0